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Applicant: HIGUCHI  
Group Art Unit: 1722  
Examiner: KUNEMUND, Robert M.  
Title: METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING POTASSIUM  
NIOBATE SINGLE CRYSTAL THIN FILM, SURFACE  
ACOUSTIC WAVE ELEMENT, FREQUENCY FILTER...  
Attorney Docket: 9319G-000650

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 26, 2006, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.